

Washington State CONSTRUCTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC)

Meeting Report
April 26, 2012
Labor and Industries service location Tukwila

The mission of the Washington State Construction Advisory Committee is to provide a forum where business, labor, and government identify challenges and develop solutions to Washington's construction workplace health and safety challenges.

Committee Leadership Present:

David Puente, Deputy Assistant Director, DOSH; Kirk Baisch, University Mechanical Terry Tilton, Assistant Executive Secretary, Washington State Building and Construction Trades Council

DOSH Update: David Puente

David Puente discussed the following points and topics:

- Fall protection, Telecommunication rule, and Fire protection rule we are moving forward with these rules
- Construction safety Day is May 2nd

Open Forum:

- Dept of Labor & Industries both the Industrial Insurance and DOSH program are currently awaiting the results of a survey conducted by Ipsos. The surverys were conducted to identify what type of customer experience the agency is providing to our customers. Are contracting with Ipsos to found how L & I is doing with inspections. We are doing this to improve customer service with L & I.
- FYI, a worker had a foreign body in eye, they said they didn't have anything wrong, but then next day had metal in eye. Reminder ensure employees seek medical treatment just to make sure. Go to an eye doctor to make sure.

Sub-Committee's Reports

Dan McMurdie discussed the following points and topics:

• Charter Guidelines is ready to go, get it signed and dated.



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Fall Protection- Steve Heist

Steve Heist discussed the following points and topics:

- Come up with a quick reference guide for Fall Protection.
- Next meeting for fall protection sub-committee is May 1st at the AGC office in Fife.

Definition of Construction: Steve Heist

Steve Heist discussed the following point and topics:

- The Definition of Construction and Maintenance they need focus and direction from CAC Committee.
- Come up with resource material, and more work needs to be done.
- Steve will sit up more meetings before the next CAC Meeting.

Consider new sub-committee for rigging:

• CAC, they voted to have a new sub-committee for rigging.

Update from Operating engineers loc. #302

Josh Swanson discussed the following points and topics:

- Josh discussed they have employees in Alaska, Seattle, and east side of Washington over 10,000 employees.
- They do a lot of Training on Cranes, Forklift and Rigging.
- They work with AGC Business and labor side.

Website on Const. Page/SHIP Grant Updates:

Bruce Zeller discussed the following points and topics:

• Jenifer Jellison discussed grant updates. There are 11 grants total, 3 were construction, RTW program for injured workers in the next month, another grant cycle in September.



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- Bruce discussed the website the Safety portion, Industry page Restaurant and grocery. Construction is the major one. Asking for volunteers to get a certain look for this page.
- How rules are presented on the website, people having trouble looking at certain things.
 Working on the problem.
- The next 6 months we are working on web applications, request a consultation on line, on line complaint form.

Schedule 3 CAC Meetings out:

- July 19, 2012 in Tacoma Orcas room 5th floor 950 Broadway Tacoma WA 98402 -1:30 to 3:30pm
- Sept 25, 2012 in Spokane 322 N Spokane Falls Court Spokane WA 99005-1:00 to 4:00pm
- December 6, 2012 at AGC 1200 Westlake Ave Seattle WA 98109- 1:00 to 4:00pm

Subcommittees

- Construction 1:00 to 3:00 pm, 5/9/12 at the Aerospace Machinists Union Hall, 9125 15th Place South, Seattle, WA 98108.
- Crane/Rigging 10:00 am to 12:00 pm, at AGC, 5/24/12, 1200 Westlake Ave N, Seattle, WA 98109 (2nd floor, West Conference Room).

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Action Items –

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Next CAC Meeting:

Date: July 19, 2012

Location: Dept. Labor and Industries Service Location Tacoma 950 Broadway, Orcas Room, 5th floor, Tacoma WA 98402

Time: 1:30PM-3:30PM

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